

Dear FCC,

I totally oppose SAVI technology's proposal to utilize portions of the 70cm band for RF identification devices because this proposal represents a band threat to existing Amateur frequency allocation on the 70-cm band. It is inappropriate for a commercial entity to attempt to confiscate bandwidth from American taxpayers who are Radio Amateurs. The FCC is funded by American taxpayer dollars, and must therefore serve it's regulatory function on behalf of, and to the benefit of, the American taxpayers in general, and not a special interest group.

Though SAVI technology's proposal has the support of United Parcel Service, I request the FCC deny this petition for commercial use of the 70cm band.

It is my position that the 1934 Communications Act makes it illegal for the FCC to authorize unlicensed device use in the 70cm band. I agree with the ARRL position that such devices must be licensed. I believe the FCC must deny the SAVI proposal, to prevent the consequent widespread litigation that will result therefrom if the FCC does not categorically deny commercial exploitation of Amateur frequency allocations in the 70cm band.

Furthermore, if we as Amateurs must be licensed to use 70cm, then there is a clear precedent of licensure for this bandwidth segment. For this reason, legally, the FCC cannot allow unlicensed commercial appropriation of this segment at the Amateur's expense. With this precedent, and the 1934 Act, I believe the FCC is legally bound to deny the SAVI request.

Please deny the SAVI technology proposal on 70cm, and similar exploitative measures that would negatively affect American taxpayers/Radio Amateurs.

Sincerely,

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